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**MONTICELLO.**  
(Correspondence of the Washington Chronicle.)  
[CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Sept. 14, 1874.]  
Perhaps one of the most delightful jaunts that  
can be taken by one who has stood the sum-  
mer heats of the metropolis is a trip to the  
mountains of Virginia, and there enjoy, if only  
for a week, the revivifying air peculiar to that  
section, and with that view impressed, your  
correspondent, on a few days since, betook himself  
to this place.  
Starting at 7 a. m., by Orange and Alexan-  
dria railroad, we pass Manassas, Va., where  
now is heard, instead of the sound of hostile  
guns, the hum of machinery, and where once  
the surface bristled with white tents are now  
comfortable dwellings, churches, and all the  
appearances of a well regulated village.  
Passing rapidly by Warrenton Station, Cul-  
peper, Orange Court House and Gordonsville,  
we are landed at 1:20 p. m. at Charlottesville,  
Va., of which it is well known the attractions  
are the University of Va. and Monticello, the  
home and burial place of Jefferson.

**CHARLOTTESVILLE.**  
This is a town of no mean proportions, being  
laid out in rectangular streets, all of which are  
as closely built up as is common with inland  
Southern towns. Here is the Court House of  
Albemarle county, where Jefferson, besides  
Southall, Wiley, and other eminent lawyers of  
bygone days contested for legal supremacy, and  
near by is the town hall, an antiquated looking  
structure, in the second story of which an au-  
dacious scene is presented, that of two places  
of worship, one being a Catholic chapel and the  
other a Jewish synagogue. Of the former per-  
mission there are but four here, and of the lat-  
ter the same "respectable sprinkling" which  
may be found by Divine commandment all over  
the world.

There are three hotels here, but how they  
maintain even a decent existence is beyond a  
close observer's comprehension. Episcopal,  
Presbyterian, Baptist, Lutheran, and Metho-  
dist churches steeples tower high above the  
plateau of house tops, of which a three story  
height is rather the exception than the rule.  
Business seems to be at a standstill, and there  
prevails a listlessness which the inhabitants say  
will only be broken by the arrival of students  
prior to the opening of the University on the  
1st. Then, it is said, the streets will be alive  
with ladies and misses, promenade with a  
view of introduction to University students,  
and the probable final worrying them into ma-  
trimonial inclinations. This seems most plausi-  
ble, as it is said all over town, by mothers,  
even, that the girls here hardly ever get hus-  
bands, except among the students, as while  
the latter are here the girls won't look at any  
one else, and after their departure the resident  
young men keep aloof.

**CONTRAST THE PRICES.**  
Of living here with those of Washington. No  
market at all, but everything brought in daily  
to the door by the producers, fresh, and of the  
best quality, at prices as follows: Beef, best  
cured, eight to fifteen cents per pound; chicken  
to eighteen cents apiece; best butter, twenty  
cents per pound; corn, fresh pulled, ten cents  
per dozen; tomatoes, twelve cents per peck,  
and with all articles of produce. Rents, how-  
ever, are apparently high, but there is no great  
amount of taxation, the item of police alone  
being up only four men at \$43.50 each per  
month. The municipal regulations are so  
strictly enforced that nothing is sold on Sun-  
days but medicines on a physician's prescription.

There seems to be a feeling of perfect secu-  
rity against fire, as there is no fire department,  
nor even a piece of hose in the place, and when  
a fire does occur it is said the whole popula-  
tion turns out to extinguish it by the bucket  
system. Pumps afford the only water, although  
the hotels and many private residences have  
tanks on the roofs, filled from wells by horse-  
power. There are but few wealthy citizens re-  
siding within the city limits. To wind up  
Charlottesville, it can be said that it is well  
served, well lighted, and is blessed with  
durably macadamized streets. It is sur-  
rounded by well-cultivated farms, on one  
of which alone the owner, Dr. A. Michie, has  
three hundred and seventy-five thousand to-  
bacco hails, the profits on which, with ordinary  
hills, will approximate twenty thousand  
dollars.

**JEFFERSON'S HOME.**  
As every one who stops at Charlottesville is  
supposed to see where the quill of independence  
laid away forever, we made a pilgrimage to  
Monticello, the home and burial-place of Jef-  
ferson, and were agreeably disappointed to find  
that, although not in perfect repair, it is not in  
the dilapidated condition pictured by many  
before. Situated on the top of a high and  
densely wooded mountain three miles east of  
Charlottesville, it commands a most lovely  
view of the surrounding country, the fields,  
valleys, and even highly-cultivated manors  
sweeping away into obscurity. The road from  
Charlottesville, of course, winds around the mountain  
for convenience sake, and previous to entering  
the plateau on which the mansion is located  
we pass by the tomb of Jefferson. It has  
been said that his grave was "marked by a  
plain slab, partially buried in the ground, and  
which was the order of the surroundings."  
The truth is, the remains of Jefferson are un-  
der a granite monument, the design of which  
was his own selection, and apart from being  
faded by relic-hunters, it is as erect as the  
day it was placed there. On either side are  
granite monuments locating the graves of the Ra-  
dcliffes and other members of this family, and  
the entire site is inclosed with a substantial  
brick wall, which is in good repair, considering  
thirty years or more of exposure.

**THE MONTICELLO MANSION.**  
It is, on an account of its looks and novelty,  
worth a journey to see. He inherited the land  
and, upon concluding to build there, had the  
top of the mountain leveled, which, together  
with the cost of the house, was \$90,000, a much  
higher house to that at Mount Vernon in  
every way. You are impressed with the idea  
that bricks and mortar must have been dirt  
cheap, and that if "Jeff." ever was a votary  
of simplicity he must have ignored the square  
in preference for the round dance, as there is  
not a rectangular corner in the building; and  
to illustrate the care taken in its construction,  
it is comfortably tenable to day, although

not a dollar in repairs has been put on it since  
Jefferson's death, forty-eight years ago. He  
himself furnished the plans and directed their  
consummation by letter while President of the  
United States.

**A PEEP INSIDE.**  
It is a two-story main building and wings,  
the former projecting front and rear in im-  
mense portions of solid stone, the center of  
the building being capped with a plain but  
highly-lighted dome. On the ceiling of the front  
porch is a large compass dial, and immediately  
over the main door there is set in the wall  
a large clock, with dials showing inside and out  
and there is now exhibited a ladder made up  
by Jefferson himself, and with which he wound  
up the time keeper at stated periods by the  
weights suspended from pulleys on the walls  
of either side. The main entrance really con-  
sists of three double glass doors, all of which  
can be removed, and you first enter a vestibule,  
octagonal in shape, and pass immediately into a  
parlor of the same shape. The two apart-  
ments have inside floors of walnut, mahogany,  
and cherry, which have yet to be surpassed by  
any work of the kind in this country. Although  
in constant use in Jefferson's days, as he always  
had lots of company, and have been used since,  
and are still, by picnic and dancing parties, they  
are not warped or injured in the least, and  
need, apparently, only soap and water to restore  
them to their original glossy appearance. There  
are two small dining rooms, one in each wing,  
the rest of the building being cut up into small  
and lavishly-lighted bedrooms. Ventilation seems  
to have been buried beneath every other con-  
sideration, as there is no room in the house  
through which there could be gained a direct  
air current. The beds, even, are located in re-  
cesses or alcoves in the walls, to form which  
space and room are sacrificed, and the stair-  
ways, one in each wing, are so constructed and  
of such scanty bend that their descent would be  
perilous in the daytime without a lantern. A  
covered way, which is in rather a dilapidated  
condition, leads from either wing to the li-  
brary and office, respectively, and an under-  
ground passage, through which he made his  
escape from Col. Cartwright and the British cav-  
alry, is shown to visitors. There is suspended  
in the vestibule a four-light lantern, but be-  
yond the old big body, in which it is said he  
used to ride to Charlottesville, there is not an  
article of furniture or curiosity in the house.  
The janitor or keeper of the premises is a  
white man, named Thomas Wheeler, who lives  
in the east wing. He was the overseer for  
Commodore Levy, the last tenant of the entire  
mansion, and as the property is now in litigation  
he remains in charge by sufferance, sustaining  
himself by what he can make off the farm and  
the collections (twenty-five cents each) which  
he demands from visitors.

**UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA.**  
About one mile and a half from Charlottes-  
ville, and westward, is the University of Vir-  
ginia, which was founded by and created under  
the personal superintendence of Jefferson, whose  
pride it was during his life. The plans are  
Jeffersonian also, massive walls and columns,  
the inevitable rotunda and dome, with lawns  
flanked by covered ways. Even the brick walls  
inclosing the gardens are serpentine instead of  
being in direct line; and there are numberless  
other evidences of his peculiar notions of land-  
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part of the world for FORTY YEARS, and  
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FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE  
Montpelier Female Humane Association,  
AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

**NOVEMBER 23, 1874.**  
**LIST OF GIFTS.**

1 Grand Cash Gift.....	\$100,000
1 Grand Cash Gift.....	50,000
1 Grand Cash Gift.....	25,000
10 Cash Gifts, \$10,000 each.....	100,000
15 Cash Gifts, 5,000 each.....	75,000
50 Cash Gifts, 1,000 each.....	50,000
100 Cash Gifts, 500 each.....	50,000
1,000 Cash Gifts, 100 each.....	100,000
1,000 Cash Gifts, 50 each.....	50,000
20,000 Cash Gifts, 20 each.....	400,000
22,178 Cash Gifts, amounting to.....	\$1,000,000

Number of Tickets, 100,000.

**PRICE OF TICKETS.**

Whole Tickets.....	\$20 00
Halves.....	10 00
Quarters.....	5 00
Eighths or each Coupon.....	2 50
62 Tickets for.....	100 00
Eleven Tickets for.....	2 40

The Montpelier Female Humane Association,  
chartered by the Legislature of Virginia and  
the Circuit Court of Orange county, proposes  
by a series of Grand Gift Concerts to establish  
and endow a "Home for the Old, Infirm and  
Destitute Ladies of Virginia," at Montpelier,  
the former residence of President James Madison.  
The Association is under the control of eight  
trustees, six of whom are elected bi-annually by  
the stockholders and two appointed by the Gov-  
ernor of Virginia.  
References by permission: His Excellency,  
James L. Kemper, Governor of Virginia; His  
Excellency, Gilbert C. Walker, ex-Gov. of Va.;  
Hon. Robert E. Withers, Lieutenant Governor  
of Virginia and U. S. Senator elect; Hon. Robt.  
W. Hughes, Judge Eastern District of Virginia;  
Senators and Members of Congress from Virginia.

Governor's Office, Richmond, July 3, '74.  
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of the Montpelier Female Humane Association,  
who reside in the vicinity of my home, and I  
stoutly their intelligence and their worth and high  
reputation as gentlemen, as well as the public  
confidence, influence and substantial means lib-  
erally represented among them.  
JAMES L. KEMPER, Gov. of Virginia.

My personal acquaintance with a majority of  
the gentlemen controlling the Montpelier Fe-  
male Humane Association and the reputation of  
it to them enables me to commend them as fully  
entitled to the confidence of the public. No act  
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aug 4

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sep 7**

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ceries, Plaster, Seeds and Salt filled at market  
rates.  
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aug 16-4f

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PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCE-  
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at the lowest market rates.  
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ed to, and goods forwarded without delay to con-  
signees on arrival.  
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portation line. mh 10-4f

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Nasal Douches, Lyon's Tooth Tab, Drexel's  
Vienna Cologne, G. m. Tragenath, White Cast-  
le Soap, French Yellow Ochre and Solution  
Gruet Magnesia.  
sep 15 JANNEY & CO.

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Soap, do. N. Y. City, McKee's, van Has-  
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aug 28 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

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able shade.  
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EXCELSIOR BITTERS have no equal. Give  
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gr. and Spices, Green Ginger, Flavoring  
Extracts and Syrups, for sale by  
aug 14 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,  
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**GENTLEMEN'S DEPARTMENT**  
FOR THE  
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of suits on the shortest notice and in the very  
best style, guaranteeing a fit and satisfaction in  
every particular, and our arrangements are such  
for making up clothing that the prices will be  
low enough to please all.  
A full line of Dress Shirts, Collars, Cuffs,  
Neckties, Suspenders, &c., constantly on hand.  
Shirts made to order by measure. Fit guar-  
anteed.  
sep 3 D. F. WITMER CO.

**FALL TRADE—SEPTEMBER 1st, 1874.**  
NEW GOODS.  
I beg to call the attention of the ladies to the  
following DRESS GOODS just received and  
very handsome: French Drab d'ete, Cashmere,  
English Tweed Suitings and French, English  
and American Poplins.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
Corner King and Pitt streets.

**PRETZELDER & BENDHEIM,**  
144 King street,  
Have just received a large lot of WHITE and  
COLORED MOSQUITO NETTING, which  
they are selling at 5c, 6c, 7c and 75c per piece.  
EXTRA BARGAINS IN VICTORIA  
LAWNS, a splendid quality, 20 and 25c per yd.  
A new line of LADIES' BELTS, the very  
latest styles.  
Also the finest assortment of EMBROIDE-  
RIES we have had this season, of many beau-  
tiful styles, and at greatly reduced prices. aug 1

**SILK-FACED LENOS,**  
for  
GRENADE LININGS,  
just to hand.  
D. F. WITMER CO.  
JACKETS.  
Another large invoice at  
my 25 D. F. WITMER CO'S.

**BLACK LLAMA LACE JACKETS.**  
Another large invoice of LLAMA Lace Jackets,  
Points and Veils, very desirable, just opened by  
D. F. BRASHEAR.  
sep 25

**NAVY BLUE AND PLUM PARASOLS**  
and  
SUN UMBRELLAS.  
A beautiful line just opened at  
D. F. WITMER CO'S.  
je 25

**BLACK GRENADES—A splendid line**  
received this morning.  
aug 16 D. F. WITMER CO.

**MATIN AGUE MIXTURE**  
will positively cure  
CHILLS AND FEVER.  
This Mixture contains nothing whatever that  
can injure the general health, nor is it disagree-  
able to the taste. It is composed of the finest  
ingredients, and the patient need not change his  
customary mode of living while taking the reme-  
dy. It is a pleasant tonic, and it taken in small  
quantities before breakfast each day, it will pro-  
tect Chills and Fever in localities where miasma  
prevails.  
It will be found that Martin Ague Mixture ex-  
cels an appetite, and improves the general  
health. For children as well as adults it will be  
found a most effectual and pleasant remedy.  
Baltimore, Md., August 4, 1873.  
This is to Certify, That I have this day sold  
out Messrs. Janney & Co., of Alexandria, Va.,  
the sole right to prepare and sell the Martin Ague  
Mixture, according to the genuine recipe as for-  
merly owned by me. R. B. ARTHUR BLOOMER.

Price \$1.50 per bottle.  
JANNEY & CO.,  
Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers,  
145 King st., Alexandria, Va.  
sep 6

**GREAT BARGAINS IN**  
**WALL PAPERS**  
GILT, SATIN AND BLANK.  
Job lot and remnant of Wall Papers, suitable  
for large or small rooms.  
The cheapest lot of Wall Papers ever offered  
in this city.  
Call soon if you want to get bargains. They  
will be sold much below cost to close them out.  
my 15 JOHN P. CLARKE,  
No. 158 King street.

**JOHN A. FIELD,**  
(Successor to William Buckingham.)  
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN  
Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, Pipes,  
&c., &c., &c.,  
NO. 71 KING STREET.  
sep 1

**FERGUSON'S**  
Hair and Fancy Goods Store,  
Has removed to  
NO. 96 KING STREET,  
(Opposite Sarepta Hall.)  
aug 27

**IMPORTED BAY RUM—We desire to call**  
the attention of the public, and of the ladies  
particular, to our very superior GENUINE  
IMPORTED BAY RUM, which we offer at the  
low price of 50c per pint.  
aug 28 HENRY COOK & CO.,  
107 King street.

**WATERMELONS.**  
A full supply of the best and freshest  
WATERMELONS and CANTALOUPE  
always on hand and for sale at the cheapest  
rates at the foot of King street by  
aug 31 PHILLIPS & CO.

**SEED WHEAT.**  
250 bushels CHOICE WHITE WHEAT.  
Also 100 bushels of the celebrated "FULTZ"  
WHEAT. For sale by  
aug 29 DAVY & HARMON.

**FALL SUPPLY.**  
ZEPHYR WORSTEDS,  
GERMAN TOWN WOOLS AND YARNS,  
Just received at  
sep 11 C. C. BERRY'S.

**GEORGE R. HILL & CO.,**  
**Steam Cracker & Cake Bakers,**  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
je 15-4f

**BROOMS! BROOMS! BROOMS!**  
A large assortment of all sizes and kinds on  
hand and for sale by  
je 30 C. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,  
No. 6 Prince street.

**A LARGE LOT OF WINDOW GLASS**  
received this day and for sale in quantities to  
suit by  
sep 8 HENRY COOK & CO.

**FERTILIZERS.**  
**IMPORTANT TO FARMERS**  
**ONLY \$40 A TON.**

**GUANAHANI!**  
AN IMPORTED NATURAL GUANO.

**A GENUINE ANIMAL DEPOSIT.**  
A MONOPOLY of this Valuable Deposit has  
been created in favor of this Company by the  
Crown Officers. The name "Guanahani"  
is a registered Trade Mark at the  
United States Patent Office, and  
all persons are warned from  
making use of the same  
in connection with  
'fertilizers of  
any kind.

The Company guarantees that  
**Every Cargo will be Analyzed**  
BEFORE IT IS OFFERED FOR SALE.

The Company recommend an application of  
from 200 to 250 lbs per acre, but not  
over the larger amount.